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RAJYA SABHA

The following Bill was introduced in the Rajya Sabha on the 22nd July, 1975:—

BILL No. XVI OF 1975

A Bill to provide for the extension of the duration of the present Legislative Assembly of the State of Kerala.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Kerala Legislative Assembly (Extension of Duration) Act, 1975 Short title.

2. The period of five years [being the period for which the Legislative Assembly of a State may, under clause (*1*) of article 172 of the Constitution, continue from the date appointed for its first meeting] in relation to the present Legislative Assembly of the State of Kerala shall, while the Proclamations of Emergency issued on the 3rd day of December, 1971 and on the 25th day of June, 1975, are both in operation, be extended for a period of six months. Extension of duration of the present Kerala Legislative Assembly.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The duration of the present Legislative Assembly of Kerala will in normal course expire on the 21st October, 1975. Having regard to the Proclamations of Emergency now in operation, it is considered necessary to extend the duration of the present Legislative Assembly of Kerala by a period of six months. Under the proviso to clause (1) of article 172 of the Constitution, while a Proclamation of Emergency is in operation, Parliament has the power to extend by law the duration of the Legislative Assembly of a State for a period not exceeding one year at a time and not exceeding in any case beyond a period of six months after the Proclamation has ceased to operate.

The Bill seeks to give effect to the above object.

NEW DELHI;
The 20th July, 1975.

H. R. GOKHALE.

B. N. BANERJEE,
Secretary-General.

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